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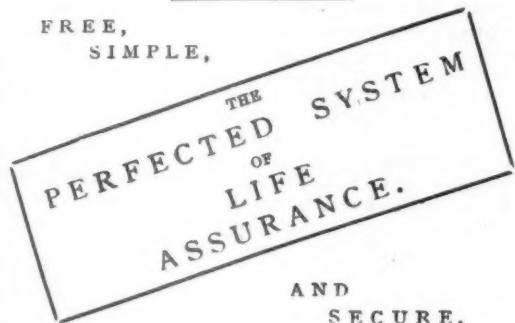
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Current Topics.

MR. JUSTICE WARRINGTON presided in the Vacation Court on Wednesday last, in succession to Mr. Justice BIGHAM, who has completed his part of the vacation work. The list, although it comprised some thirty-nine matters, was of a light character, and there was no decision of public importance.

IT MUST not be supposed that his Majesty's judges hold office for the sole purpose of deciding subtle points of law. They also sit upon the bench for the purpose of answering the neat little conundrums which from time to time are propounded by the wisdom of Parliament. We discuss elsewhere the question as to payment for structural alterations of premises which arises under section 101 of the Factory and Workshop Act, 1901, but the cases of *Goldstein v. Hollingsworth* and *Morris v. Beal* (1904, 2 K. B. 578, 584) also involve the answer to the query, When are premises "let as a bakehouse"? The draftsman who introduced this expression into the Act probably thought that it would cause no difficulty, but this does not seem to have been the experience of the judges who have had to apply it, and some of the acutest intellects of the day have sought in vain for any certain answer to the riddle. Doubtless if premises are let as a bakehouse they must be so used at the commencement of the term, and the tenant must be at liberty so to use them through the term; but is it sufficient that he is at liberty so to use them, or must he be actually prohibited from any other use of them? We gather that Lord ALVERSTONE, C.J., and WILLIS, J., incline to a liberal construction of the phrase, and would hold that premises are let as a bakehouse if they are so used at the time of letting, and if the continuance of this user is permitted; KENNEDY, J., would require that any other user should be prohibited. This state of things clearly promises further litigation before the conundrum is answered.

IT MUST have occurred to lawyers who have before them Crown leases, which, we believe, are usually executed in duplicate, to wonder why this requirement is made. The practice of the lessor executing the lease and the lessee executing the counterpart must be of very ancient date, since it was obviously fully established in SHEPPARD's time, nearly 300 years ago, and many modern Acts of Parliament have specifically required the execution of a "counterpart." It would seem that the counterpart has long been invested with practically the same, or nearly the same, advantages as a duplicate. Thus SHEPPARD says (Touchst., p. 53), that "although both parts of the indenture are but as one deed, yet the part of the grantor is as the principal, and the other is not but [sic] a counterpart. And, therefore, if the lessor only seal, and not the lessee, yet it as good to bind him as if both had sealed." The words in italics were added by PRESTON in his edition of the work, but *Dos v. Pulman* (3 Q. B. 622) shows that counterparts of leases may even, under some circumstances, be used as primary evidence against strangers. In that case, which was an action of ejectment, in order to prove that the land in question was part of the estate of the lessor of the plaintiff, a counterpart of a lease purporting to demise that land was produced from the ancestor's muniment room, but the lease was not produced, nor was any excuse given for its non-production, nor was any privity shewn to exist between the lessee who executed the counterpart and the defendant in the action; nevertheless, the court, after consulting some of the judges, held that the counterpart was admissible. In any case, of course, the counterpart is presumptive evidence between the parties of the execution of a lease (*Hughes v. Clark*, 10 C. B. 905), and the lessee cannot dispute the admissibility of a duly stamped counterpart on the ground that the lease was not properly stamped: *Paul v. Meek* (2 Y. & J. 116). The Stamp Act imposes the trouble of obtaining a denoting stamp on a duplicate, but leaves a counterpart of a lease free from this obligation.

THE NEWS that Russia has at length formally accepted the distinction between conditional and absolute contraband, which at the commencement of the present war it seemed to ignore, has

been received with profound satisfaction. It is to be hoped that the news may prove to be correct. As to our own attitude in the matter there has never been any doubt. It was distinctly stated by the Prime Minister in the House of Commons, towards the close of last session. "We do not," he then said, "accept the doctrine, apparently laid down in the Russian notification, that coal, foodstuffs, cotton, and many other things are absolute contraband." And he followed the statement to its logical conclusion by declaring that this country could not recognize the decision of a Russian prize court given upon the principle of the articles mentioned being absolute contraband. "If," he said, "it be found that the prize court had condemned as contraband of war things which the law of nations treats as not contraband of war, I do not think it would be possible for a neutral to sit down absolutely quiescent under a decision of that character." Of course everything depends on what may fairly be declared to be part of the law of nations, and, whatever view this country may take, it is essential for its soundness that the same view should be supported by a considerable consensus of civilized opinion. In any conflict of opinion each nation is likely to consider first its own interests, and this accounts for the attitude recently taken by Russia. Our own interests, as well in peace, for the sake of our commerce, as in war, for the sake of self-preservation, point strongly to confining the list of contraband within the narrowest possible limits. Fortunately, the interests of most other nations lie, though not so strongly, in the same direction, and the reported abandonment by Russia of the position which she had taken up is a very strong indication that the view which this country has advocated will be generally accepted. The probable prolongation of the war, and the recent news of the strong force of auxiliary cruisers which Russia has in Atlantic waters forbid the expectation that we have got to the end of questions as to the rights of neutrals; but it may be hoped that differences on this subject will tend to be less acute than they have been in the last few months.

UPON THE question whether a man can change his Christian name, to which we referred last week, we have been favoured with the following observations, which seem to sum up the law on the subject. The basis for a reply to the question, says our correspondent, may be found in the statement of the law by Sir EDWARD COKE, "that a man cannot have two names of baptism as he may have divers surnames" (1 Co, Lit. 3). "The reason of this seems to be that the surname probably originated in some accidental circumstance of property, person, or occupation, peculiar to the individual, which therefore might vary with circumstances. But the Christian name, being imposed at his baptism, by a solemn act inseparably connected with his religion, could not be changed except at his confirmation, in which case, as was resolved by all the judges in *Sir F. Gaudy's case*, he shall afterwards use his name of confirmation." This passage is from the argument of counsel in *Rex v. Inhabitants of Billingshurst* (3 M. & S., at p. 254). That was an action in which a man, whose original name was ABRAHAM LANGLEY, was married at Lamberhurst under the name of GEORGE SMITH. He had lived in the place three years before his marriage, and the inhabitants knew him by no other name than GEORGE SMITH. The court held that the marriage was valid, although the banns had not been published in the true names as required by the Marriage Act (26 Geo. 2, c. 33). But the case did not really decide anything in regard to the change of names, as that was only a secondary consideration. "The object of the statute in the publication of banns," said Lord ELLENBOROUGH, "was to secure notoriety, to apprise all persons of the intention of the parties to contract marriage; and how can that object be better attained than by a publication in the name by which the party is known?" (3 M. & S., at p. 257.) It is submitted, therefore, that Mr. FALCONER went too far in stating the effect of this decision to be "that persons might legally change and acquire by reputation not merely a new surname but also a new Christian name" (Falconer on Surnames, p. 6).

THE QUESTION has been further complicated by a comparatively recent case in the Scottish Court of Session. "In Scotland, unless in the case of an officer under the Crown or the holder of a public

office, it is not necessary for a person desiring to change his name to obtain the authority of the court to do so, and a petition for such authority will be refused" (Encyclopaedia of the Laws of Scotland, viii., 395). In 1899 a case (Court of Sess. Cas., 5th series, ii., 75) came before the court in which it was held that the special circumstances justified an exception to this rule. The Rev. HENRY LINDSAY JOHNSTON presented himself for ordination by the Bishop of Rochester, who refused, through his official secretaries, to enter in the letters of orders any other name than HENRY JOHNSTON, as contained in his certificate of baptism, although for years he had been known by the other, and had taken his degree at Cambridge as HENRY LINDSAY JOHNSTON. The court gave formal sanction for the addition of the name in order to satisfy the requirements of the bishop before the petitioner proceeded to be ordained priest. The effect of the order of the court was to allow the petitioner to bear the double name of LINDSAY-JOHNSTON. The statement of law above cited from the Encyclopaedia is based entirely upon decisions relating to a change of surname, and no case can be traced in which the principle has been applied to the change of Christian name. But the petitioner is now known as the Rev. H. L. JOHNSTON, as if LINDSAY were an additional Christian name. It is submitted that the court had no authority to grant him an additional Christian name, so that from neither the legal nor the theological—though we are not concerned with that here—point of view is the petitioner justified in the present use of the name. In the same way a dead-poll which pretended to change a Christian name must be held to be *ultra vires*.

IT MUST also be maintained that there is no legal authority for the action, of which there are instances, of discarding the first Christian name upon receiving the honour of knighthood and notifying the change through the press. The only opportunity which is available for a change of Christian name is, as Sir EDWARD COKE said, at the time of confirmation. Mr. BURN, following the Rev. JOHN JOHNSON, an authoritative writer on ecclesiastical law, threw some doubt upon the possibility of taking this step as "upon review of the liturgy at King Charles the Second's Restoration, the office of confirmation is altered as to this point, for now the bishop doth not pronounce the name of the person confirmed, and therefore cannot alter it" (Burn's Ecclesiastical Law, ii., 10, and Johnson's English Canons, 1281, 3). But a case is recorded in 1707 where a change was thus made upon the advice of Lord Chief Justice HOLT and Sir EDWARD NORTHEY, and there are other instances from time to time to the present day (Phillimore's Ecclesiastical Law, i., 518). So careful a prelate as the late Bishop RYLE, of Liverpool, consented to add a Christian name at the confirmation of a girl and ordered the alteration to be made in the baptismal register (Notes and Queries, 7th series, ii., 77). By strictly limiting the question as to when a man can change his Christian name to its precise meaning the difficulty has been lessened in obtaining an answer. But the fact cannot be ignored that there are thousands of people who bear what is called a Christian name, but which is simply a name enrolled on the books of a State official and has not been received in the rite of baptism. Sir EDWARD COKE and the authorities in his day would not have deemed it necessary to take cognizance of such people, who, if they existed, would only have been in an inconsiderable minority. It will be observed that the foundation of the whole reasoning is destroyed when applied to these unbaptized people, and should the necessity arise, the courts would probably not consider themselves bound by the earlier authorities laid down under different circumstances.

AN INTERESTING difference of opinion as to the effect of a guarantee of a mortgage debt which is already secured by a surety has been shewn in *Re Denton's Estate* (52 W. R. 484; 1904, 2 Ch. 178), in which the Court of Appeal have reversed the decision of SWINFEN EADY, J. (52 W. R. 92). A mortgagor, by a mortgage dated in November, 1899, mortgaged a public-house to the London City and Midland Bank to secure an advance of £4,000, and DENTON joined in the deed for the purpose of becoming responsible for the debt as surety to the extent of £1,000. Under the deed the statutory power of sale became

exercisable at any time after demand of payment left at the mortgaged premises, and the mortgagor covenanted to insure the mortgage debt against loss in the name of the bank with a specified licences insurance corporation. An insurance policy was accordingly taken out, and by this the insurance corporation undertook, after the statutory power of sale had become exercisable, to pay any loss within six months of a claim being made upon them, the mortgage debt and all securities to be transferred to them. Ultimately, a loss of £985 was incurred, and was paid by the insurance corporation, who thereupon, the surety being dead, claimed that amount against his estate. For the estate it was contended that DENTON and the insurance corporation were in the position of co-sureties, and that the estate was only liable to contribute to the loss rateably with the corporation; and this view was accepted by SWINFEN EADY, J. But the fact that a debt is secured by two guaranteees does not necessarily put the guarantors in the position of co-sureties. It is quite possible that one guaranteee may be intended only to come into operation upon the failure of the other, and then there is no relation of co-suretyship. This distinction was recognized by Lord ELDON, C., in *Craythorne v. Swinburne* (14 Ves. 160), where it was held, upon the evidence, that two sureties, A. and B., were not co-sureties, but that B. was the primary surety, and that A.'s guarantee was a distinct collateral security intended only to guarantee payment by B. Hence B. was not entitled to contribution from A. The Court of Appeal, though VAUGHAN WILLIAMS, L.J., doubted, have held that the insurance corporation and DENTON were in the same relative position as the sureties in *Craythorne v. Swinburne*, partly upon the ground that the liability of DENTON arose at once upon default by the mortgagor, while the corporation were entitled to six months' delay. Consequently the loss of £985 was thrown wholly on DENTON's estate, and there was no right to contribution from the corporation.

WE HAVE already referred to the annual report of the Inspector-General in Bankruptcy which has recently been issued, and to the observation of the Inspector-General that in several of the large cases of bankruptcy and in a considerable proportion of the smaller trading failures, little regard has been had as to whether profits or losses were made; the debtor apparently considering himself entitled to live handsomely on his business as long as it could be kept going, so that in the end "his extravagant withdrawals went to swell the deficiency of his assets to meet his unsecured liabilities." Reference is made to the case of a leather merchant and boot factor who, during the three years preceding his failure, lost £21,000 on trading and in bad debts, and drew more than £2,000 a year for household and personal expenses, and to the case of a textile merchant who in fourteen years made £7,489 net profit and withdrew £18,921. We cannot think that it is the intention of the modern bankruptcy Acts that the manager of a business which is not shewing a profit should be entitled to draw upon his receipts for the expenses of his maintenance. If this were permitted, it would be no longer an exaggeration to say that it is quite easy in England for a man to live upon his debts. The Inspector-General also calls attention to the use of partnership names for purposes of concealment. He says that a receiving order, when made against a firm, operates as if it were made against each of the persons who is a partner in the firm, but unless the identity of the partners can be ascertained, the proceedings are practically abortive, as an order of adjudication can only be made against the partners individually. "It is, of course, a common occurrence, owing to transfers of interest, that the partnership name of a perfectly *bond fide* firm differs wholly from the names of the individuals composing it. But there are also cases in which a partnership name is deliberately adopted for purposes of concealment or evasion, and persons who have given credit to such firms experience great difficulty in discovering any person against whom liability can be established."

AN ACTION recently brought to recover possession of a residential flat in the suburbs of London shews clearly that the change in the character of the buildings now occupied by

tenants has made it necessary to make a corresponding change in the terms of the leases or agreements which have hitherto been supposed to be sufficient. It is not considered necessary, in the ordinary lease of a dwelling-house in the metropolis, to require the lessee to enter into any covenants as to his good behaviour while he is in possession of the premises. He is generally prohibited from carrying on certain trades, but he is not required to covenant that he will cause no annoyance to his neighbours in the ordinary use of the house. But in the case of a residential flat it is necessary to make some addition to the ordinary covenants of the lessee. The lessee has to bind himself to observe certain conditions indispensable to the comfortable occupation of the house as a whole. It is usual for him to covenant not to use, or permit the premises to be used, for any illegal or improper purpose, and not to make, or permit to be made, any disturbance, noise, or annoyance whatsoever prejudicial to the premises or to the comfort of any other occupants of any other floors in the main building or mansion, and particularly not to use the premises in any manner calculated to cause scandal or annoyance to the other inhabitants of the mansion or to the neighbours or neighbourhood. There is, of course, a power of entry for breach of any of these covenants. In the case referred to the jury found that there had been a breach of the covenant as to good behaviour which the lessee, after notice under the Conveyancing Acts, had failed to remedy, and the question reserved for consideration was as to the validity of the notice. This question was decided by the court in favour of the lessor.

Payment of Expenses Incurred under the Factory and Workshop Act, 1901.

II.

In the previous article we discussed the decision in *Monk v. Arnold* (50 W. R. 667; 1902, 1 K. B. 761) upon the effect of section 7 (2) of the Factory and Workshop Act, 1891, now replaced by section 14 (4) of the Act of 1901, and we saw that the apparent result of the decision was to enable the county court to which an owner of a factory applied for apportionment of expenses under the Act to impose a part of the expenses on the owner, notwithstanding that the occupier was under a covenant to pay rates and taxes containing general words which ordinarily would impose all such expenses on him; and, moreover, that the owner might be precluded from suing on the covenant in the High Court, and, if he wished to shift the expenses to the occupier, might be compelled to go instead to the county court. That was a decision upon an enactment that, when the owner had been required to provide fire escape appliances, the county court judge might apportion the expenses between owner and occupier in such manner as might be just and equitable under all the circumstances of the case. We now turn to the decisions in *Goldstein v. Hollingsworth* (1904, 2 K. B. 578) and *Morris v. Beal* (1904, 2 K. B. 585), which are upon the similar provision of section 101 with respect to the expenses of altering underground bakehouses in accordance with the requirements of the district council; though here the court is directed, not simply to make such apportionment as is just and equitable under the circumstances of the case, but also to have regard to the terms of any contract between the parties. In the alternative, the court may, at the request of the occupier, determine the lease.

How far this express reference to the terms of the lease affects the apportionment is not perhaps altogether clear; but it is now apparent, at any rate with respect to section 101, that the ordinary rules which govern the construction of covenants for payment of rates and taxes apply, and that there is no equity in the statutory provision—short, that is, of determination of the lease—which will enable the occupier to escape from the legal effect of the covenant which he has entered into. In *Goldstein v. Hollingsworth* (*supra*) WILLS, J., confessed to feeling considerable difficulty in understanding the passage in the judgment of CHANNELL, J., in *Monk v. Arnold* (quoted *ante*, p. 732), in which he said that a payment of this kind, although an outgoing, might not be an outgoing for which the tenant could be sued

upon his covenant unless it had been made the subject of specific mention between the parties. "I cannot," he said, "understand how, if a particular expense is an outgoing within the meaning of the covenant, it can make any difference whether it has been specially mentioned by the parties or not." This view is, of course, quite in accordance with the common results of a covenant to pay rates and taxes expressed in the usual wide form. It the tenant is well advised, he will narrowly scan the meaning of general words and the possibilities of expense which underlie them; but whether he does this or not, the words will have their proper effect, and if they are appropriate to cover a particular imposition, they do not fail to be operative because this imposition was not in the minds of the parties.

Moreover, it was clearly recognized in *Goldstein v. Hollingsworth* (*supra*) that, whatever view may be taken by the magistrates of the tenant's liability when the expenses are being apportioned, yet if the tenant is in law liable under his covenant to pay the whole expenses, the landlord may forthwith proceed to recover in the High Court any part of the expenses which have been apportioned as the share which it is "just and equitable" for him to pay. "As soon," said Lord ALVERSTONE, C.J., "as the expenses have been apportioned, the tenant can be sued by the landlord on the covenant to recover the amount which he has paid." "If," said WILLS, J., "the magistrate had ordered the landlord to bear a proportion of the expenses, the landlord, on paying the expenses, could sue the tenant on his covenant and recover the money." Hence it follows that where the tenant is liable under the covenant to pay the expenses in question as "outgoings" or "impositions," and any apportionment which may be made by the magistrate in favour of the tenant is nugatory, and, accordingly, in *Morris v. Beal* (*supra*) the Divisional Court carried this principle to its logical result by holding that the magistrate has no jurisdiction under such circumstances to apportion any part of the expenses to the landlord.

The actual decision in *Goldstein v. Hollingsworth* (*supra*) involved a question with which we are not now concerned—whether the premises were "let as a bakehouse" within the meaning of section 101 (2) of the Factory and Workshop Act, 1901. Assuming this to be answered in the affirmative, then it was necessary to consider the application of sub-section 8 already referred to. The lease contained a covenant by the lessee that he would during the term pay "all existing and future taxes, rates, duties, assessments, impositions, and outgoings of every description for the time being payable either by landlord or tenant in respect of" the premises. These words, upon the authorities, clearly imposed upon the tenant the burden of all improvements required to be done by a local authority. It was argued that the incurring of the expense was not compulsory, since it was optional with the tenant whether he would continue to use the premises as a bakehouse; but however this might be as regards the tenant, Lord ALVERSTONE, C.J., pointed out that, so soon as an apportionment had been made on the landlord, the payment of the apportioned sum was no longer optional as regards him. "In my opinion," said the Lord Chief Justice, "when a magistrate, upon an application by the tenant under sub-section 8, makes an order that a proportion, or the whole, of the outlay shall be borne by the owner, it would be impossible to contend—at any rate to successfully contend—that the expenditure was not an imposition or outgoing payable by the owner." The magistrate had held that the expenditure came within the lessee's covenant and had refused to apportion a part to the landlord, and the Divisional Court held that he was justified in so doing.

In *Morris v. Beal* (*supra*) the lease of the premises used as a bakehouse contained a covenant that the lessee would pay all "taxes, rates, assessments, and outgoings." Alterations required to obtain the certificate of the local authority were carried out at an expense of £133, and the tenant applied for an apportionment as against the landlord. The magistrate held that the covenant did not impose on the tenant the obligation to pay the expenses, and he ordered that £70 should be paid by the landlord. In this view of the effect of the covenant, the magistrate, so the Divisional Court held, was wrong, and it was further held that, had he taken the correct view of the covenant, it would not have been competent for him to disregard its legal operation and apportion part of

the expenses against the landlord on the ground that this was "just and equitable." The magistrate is empowered, on the tenant's application, to determine the lease, and if he does so the covenant is, of course, gone. "This," observed Lord ALVERSTONE, C.J., "points to the conclusion that the magistrate is not authorized by the section to disregard the covenants of the lease so long as the lease itself stands."

It is clear from the above cases that the Legislature were touching a very thorny subject in purporting to confer upon county court judges and magistrates power to apportion expenses between landlord and tenant in accordance with justice and equity. Landlords usually manage to get leases so framed as to throw all expenses incurred in satisfying the requirements of local authorities upon the tenants, and, where this is the case, there is an end of any extraneous considerations of justice and equity. This is so, at any rate, where an application is made by the tenant under section 101 (8) of the Act of 1901. The magistrate is to make such order as is just and equitable under the circumstances of the case, but he is to have regard to the terms of the lease. This does not empower him to have regard to such terms simply as one element in deciding what is just and equitable. Where the lease would, upon its proper construction, impose the burden on the tenant, this excludes any further consideration of what is just and equitable, and the magistrate cannot interfere.

In cases arising under section 14 (4) (expenses of providing fire escape appliances) this result is not so clear, because that section refers only to what is "just and equitable," and does not expressly direct the county court judge to have regard to the terms of the contract between the parties. And there is the decision in *Monk v. Arnold* (*supra*) that the whole matter is at large and that the court may administer patriarchal justice, with the result apparently that the owner is debarred from suing in the High Court on the covenant, and must take such relief as the county court may give him. But it is unlikely that *Monk v. Arnold* will stand after the criticism to which the principle of the decision has been subjected in the recent cases. For the purpose of section 14, as much as for the purpose of section 101, the first consideration is whether the tenant is under a legal liability to pay the expenses by virtue of his covenant. If he is, then this is a circumstance of the case which is decisive, and the only course which is "just and equitable" is that he should pay the expenses in accordance with his contract. Such, at least, we take to be the correct view, having regard to the recent cases, though it is opposed to *Monk v. Arnold*; and this being so, there is no reason why the owner should not sue in the High Court at once, without having recourse to the statutory jurisdiction of the county court. In other words, whichever section is in question, the discretionary power to apportion expenses only arises when the lease is without a covenant which throws them on the lessee. But the questions at issue are by no means free from doubt, and the somewhat unpromising subject of underground bakehouses has opened up a new vista of litigation on the ever-recurring covenant to pay rates and taxes.

The old gateway entrance to Gray's-inn from Holborn, having been found to be extremely inconvenient in its present form for vehicular traffic, is being made higher in order to meet the requirements of such traffic.

The high bailiff of the City of London Court received, some time ago, says the *Times*, a letter from the superintendent of the County Courts Department of the Treasury, asking to be furnished with a corrected schedule of streets within the jurisdiction of that court for inclusion in the London County Courts Streets Directory, which work had been produced by the Government in the interests of county courts. Since the last issue of the work, in 1890, many changes have occurred in the names of streets appearing in the directory, and other places have been added. The high bailiff immediately placed himself in communication with the high bailiffs of the county court districts contiguous to the City—Whitechapel, Shoreditch, Clerkenwell, and Westminster—and eventually settled with them the boundaries of their respective districts as affecting the City. In the course of his inquiries the high bailiff found that the Westminster County Court had for a great many years been exercising jurisdiction over many places in the Temple which are within the City boundary. It was agreed that all those places in the Temple should be included in the jurisdiction of the City of London Court. The effect of the agreement arrived at with the various county courts is that the City of London Court has had added to its jurisdiction a large number of houses formerly included in the districts of Westminster, Clerkenwell, and Whitechapel.

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Reviews.

The Trustee Act, 1893.

THE TRUSTEE ACT, 1893, AND OTHER RECENT STATUTES RELATING TO TRUSTEES. WITH NOTES. By F. G. CHAMPERNOWNE, B.A., Barrister-at-Law, and HENRY JOHNSTON, Barrister-at-Law. William Clowes & Sons (Limited).

TRUST INVESTMENTS: AN ANNOTATED AND CLASSIFIED LIST OF SECURITIES AUTHORIZED FOR THE INVESTMENT OF TRUST FUNDS UNDER SECTION 1 OF THE TRUSTEE ACT, 1893, AND THE COLONIAL STOCK ACT, 1900. By HERBERT ELLISSEN, Barrister-at-Law. William Clowes & Sons (Limited).

These works strike us as useful additions to the practitioner's library. Though by separate authors, they are really part of one design—namely, to set before the reader all the information with reference to the recent legislation relating to trustees and trust investments.

In Messrs. Champernowne and Johnston's book the subject is dealt with in the accustomed manner (probably the most convenient in such a case) of printing the Acts and Rules, with notes appended to each section. The care and thoroughness with which the annotation has been done is well shewn in the note to section 16 of the Trustee Act, 1893, on the troublesome questions raised by the decision in *Re Harkness and Allsopp* (1896, 2 Ch. 358). This note contains an excellent summary and discussion of the decisions up to the present time. It is to be hoped that next session the question may be settled by legislation. There are to be found in the note to section 45 of the same Act some useful observations as to impounding a beneficiary's interest—i.e., as to the extent to which such interest will be impounded, a matter which is left open by the section. And under section 1 there are given carefully framed general rules for the guidance of trustees proposing to lend trust money on real security; the authorities on which these rules are based being fully discussed in an appendix, which contains a useful digest of the decisions. The cases as to vesting orders are very well arranged in the notes to Part III. of the Act. The book of course includes the Amendment Act of 1894, and the still-born Judicial Trustees Act, 1896, and the rules made under the Acts. Altogether the book is a valuable manual for the lawyer and the trustee.

Mr. Ellissen's book gives the provisions of the Trustee Act, 1893, as to trust investments, with elaborate notes and tables appended to each class of investments specified, giving the information requisite in the selection of investments, otherwise than on mortgage, of trust funds. The observations on Colonial Stocks strike us as specially useful, and an alphabetical index enables ready reference to be made to any particular investment.

Books Received.

The English Reports. Volume XLIV.: Chancery XXIV., containing De Gex, Macnaghten & Gordon, Vols. 7 and 8; De Gex & Jones, Vols. 1 to 3. William Green & Sons, Edinburgh; Stevens & Sons (Limited).

Powell's Principles and Practice of the Law of Evidence. Eighth Edition. By JOHN CUTLER, M.A., K.C., and CHARLES F. CAGNEY, B.A., Barrister-at-Law. Butterworth & Co.

Trust Investments. An Annotated and Classified List of Securities Authorized for the Investment of Trust Funds under Section 1 of the Trustee Act, 1893, and the Colonial Stock Act, 1900. By HERBERT ELLISSEN, Barrister-at-Law. William Clowes & Sons (Limited).

The Licensing Act, 1904 (4 Ed. 7, c. 23). With Full Explanatory Notes and Introduction, with an Appendix. By WILLIAM A. MACKENZIE, M.A., Barrister-at-Law. Butterworth & Co.; Shaw & Sons.

The Allahabad Law Journal. Editors: Satish Chandra Banerji, M.A., LL.D., Tej Bahadur Sapru, M.A., LL.D. The Indian Press, Allahabad.

With reference to the controversy as to who are the Tichborne trial survivors, a correspondent writes to the *Westminster Gazette* to say that there is another notable survivor in the person of Mr. Arthur Burrows, of Lincoln's-inn (aged ninety-two and as well as ever), who prepared the real Sir Roger's will and was an important witness in the case. In those days it was rare for clients to attend counsel's chambers personally, but the will was of such complication that Sir Roger attended on various occasions, and was nicknamed "Frenchie" (from his French accent) by Mr. Burrows's pupils. In the course of the action or trial the claimant and Mr. Burrows were living at Croydon. This coming to the claimant's knowledge, he promptly filed an affidavit to the effect that he met Mr. Burrows, whom he remembered well, constantly in the train!

Correspondence.

The Land Transfer Rules and Covenants for Registration of Leases with the Lessor.

[To the Editor of the *Solicitors' Journal*.]

Sir,—No. 120 of the rules issued by the Land Registry in December last states that where registered leasehold land is held under a lease which requires assignments and other dispositions to be produced to the lessor, &c., such a stipulation shall, as regards any transfer or charge, be sufficiently complied with by production of the transfer or charge, or after registration by production of the land certificate or charge certificate as the case may be.

Leases frequently contain a covenant to register with the lessor all assignments and underleases. My contention is that in the case of a charge in the form prescribed by the rules it is not necessary to register the same with the lessor, as it certainly is not a transfer or an underlease. The form of charge is: "In consideration of, &c., I, A. B., of, &c., hereby charge the land comprised in the title above referred to, &c."

I submit, therefore, that it is unnecessary to register with the lessor a charge in the case of a covenant to register assignments and underleases.

Of course, in the case of a covenant in a lease to register with the lessor assignments and other dispositions I think it would be necessary to register a charge, as it would be a "disposition" within the meaning of the covenant.

I shall be glad to hear your views on the subject.

Sept. 15.

INQUIRER.

[The covenant first mentioned by our correspondent appears to relate only to legal assignments and underleases (*Gentle v. Falkner*, 1900, 2 Q. B., at pp. 274, 277); and a registered charge in the ordinary form does not pass the legal estate.—ED. S.J.]

Change of Christian Name.

[To the Editor of the *Solicitors' Journal*.]

Sir,—With reference to the letter of "Deed-Poll" and your observations upon it under "Current Topics" in this week's issue of the *SOLICITORS' JOURNAL*, the writer recently had occasion to look into the question whether a change of Christian name was possible.

If the matter is considered by you worthy of further reference, the cases of *Williams v. Bryant* (5 M. & W. 447) and *Evans v. King* (Willee Reports, p. 554) may be of some assistance.

You will further find in Notes and Queries for the 2nd and the 9th of March, 1867, the 2nd of March and the 4th of June, 1870, and the 24th of July, 1886, references to the matter.

In the last-named issue, if my recollection serves me aright, a baptismal name was changed or added to at confirmation, and the alteration was entered in the baptismal register.

Is not the true view as follows? A Christian name is a name given by the authority of, and for the purposes of admission to, the Church, and therefore can only be changed with the Church's sanction.

Some confirmation of this view is to be found in the fact that the minister can refuse to accept a name at baptism, and in the catechism and marriage service the Christian names, without surname, are used.

ARTHUR FOSTER.

1, Gresham-buildings, Basinghall-street, London. Sept. 17.

[Our correspondent's view appears to be the true one: see the observations under the head of "Current Topics."—ED. S.J.]

Liability of a Principal Under a Written Authority Given to an Agent.

[To the Editor of the *Solicitors' Journal*.]

Sir,—In perusing just now the article in your journal of the 10th of September on "The Liability of a Principal Under a Written Authority Given to an Agent," I observe that, through an apparent error, the not unimportant word "not" is omitted after the word "were" at the end of the first line of the second paragraph in the second column of p. 723.

As my principals acted for one of the unfortunate defendants in the action of *Hambro v. Burnand*, I am well acquainted with the facts of the case, and am much interested in perusing your article.

12, New-court, Lincoln's-inn, Sept. 17. GEO. J. OFFER.

[The word "not" was certainly important, but the previous observations clearly shewed that it was accidentally omitted in the proof.—ED. S.J.]

New Orders, &c.

High Court of Justice.

LONG VACATION, 1904.

Notice.

During the remainder of the Vacation, from Monday, the 19th of September inclusive, all applications "which may require to be immediately or promptly heard," are to be made to Mr. Justice Warrington.

COURT BUSINESS.—Mr. Justice Warrington will sit in the Lord Chief Justice's Court, Royal Courts of Justice, at 10.30 a.m. on Wednesday in every week, commencing on Wednesday, the 21st of September, for the purpose of hearing such applications of the above nature, as according to the practice in the Chancery Division, are usually heard in court.

No case will be placed in the judge's paper unless leave has been previously obtained, or a certificate of counsel that the case requires to be immediately or promptly heard, and stating concisely the reasons, is left with the papers.

The necessary papers, relating to every application made to the Vacation Judges (see notice below as to judges' papers), are to be left with the cause clerk in attendance, Chancery Registrars' Office, Room 136, Royal Courts of Justice, before 1 o'clock on the Monday previous to the day on which the application is intended to be made. When the cause clerk is not in attendance, they may be left at Room 136, under cover, addressed to him, and marked outside Chancery Vacation Papers, or they may be sent by post, but in either case so as to be received by the time aforesaid.

URGENT MATTERS WHEN JUDGE NOT PRESENT IN COURT OR CHAMBERS.—Application may be made in *any case of urgency*, to the judge, personally (if necessary), or by post or rail, prepaid, accompanied by the brief of counsel, office copies of the affidavits in support of the application, and also by a minute, on a separate sheet of paper, signed by counsel, of the order he may consider the applicant entitled to, and also an envelope, sufficiently stamped, capable of receiving the papers, addressed as follows:—
"Chancery Official Letter: To the Registrar in Vacation, Chancery Registrars' Office, Royal Courts of Justice, London, W.C."

On applications for injunctions, in addition to the above, a copy of the writ, and a certificate of writ issued, must also be sent.

The papers sent to the judge will be returned to the registrar.

The address of the judge for the time being acting as Vacation Judge can be obtained on application at Room 136, Royal Courts of Justice.

CHANCERY CHAMBER BUSINESS.—The chambers of Justices Buckley and Warrington will be open for Vacation business on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday in every week, from 10 to 2 o'clock.

KING'S BENCH CHAMBER BUSINESS.—Mr. Justice Warrington will sit for the disposal of King's Bench business in Judge's Chambers on Tuesday and Thursday in every week, commencing on Tuesday, the 20th of September.

PROBATE AND DIVORCE.—Summons will be heard by the registrar, at the Principal Probate Registry, Somerset House, every day during the Vacation at 11.30. Motions will be heard by the registrar on Wednesdays, the 28th of September, and the 5th and 19th of October, at 12.30. In matters that cannot be dealt with by a registrar, application may be made to the Vacation Judge by motion or summons.

Decrees nisi will be made absolute by the Vacation Judge on Wednesdays, the 28th of September, and the 5th and 19th of October.

A summons (whether before judge or registrar) must be entered at the registry, and case and papers for motion (whether before judge or registrar) and papers for making decrees absolute must be filed at the registry before 2 o'clock on the preceding Friday.

JUDGE'S PAPERS FOR USE IN COURT.—Chancery Division.—The following papers for the Vacation Judge, are required to be left with the cause clerk in attendance at the Chancery Registrar's Office, Room 136, Royal Courts of Justice, on or before 1 o'clock, on the Monday previous to the day on which the application to the judge is intended to be made:—

1. Counsel's certificate of urgency, or note of special leave granted by the judge.

2. Two copies of writ and two copies of pleadings (if any), and any other documents shewing the nature of the application.

3. Two copies of notice of motion.

4. Office copy affidavits in support, and also affidavits in answer (if any).

N.B.—Solicitors are requested when application has been disposed of, to apply at once to the judge's clerk in court for the return of their papers.

The judicial day in Australia has, says the *Globe*, been so lengthened that the bar has grown weary of the long hours. It seems that litigants have been complaining of the law's delay, and that the Chief Justice of Victoria, bent upon clearing his court of its arrears, has been sitting into the night. Sir John Madden has but followed the example of the old judges of the Mother Country. Evening sittings were once common in the Chancery Courts. "If," Sir Harry Poland has written, "some of the old judges who were accustomed to sit at eight in the morning till past midnight were to know of the present sittings, from 10.30 a.m. to 4.30 p.m., would they not think that the lawyers of the present day were a degenerate race?" One of the greatest feats of judicial endurance on record was in Lord George Gordon's case. The court sat from eight in the morning of one day to five in the morning of the next, Erskine beginning his famous speech for the defence at midnight.

Law Societies.

The Maritime Law Conference.

The Maritime Law Conference, organised by the Maritime Law Committee, was held at Amsterdam on the 14th to the 16th inst.

The first subject taken up by the conference was what law shall govern ownership of ships and maritime mortgages and liens or rights in rem. A resolution was passed in favour of the project of a uniform law for regulating the questions which had an international bearing in this connection, while leaving it to each municipal law to settle questions of purely national interest, such as the acquisition of property in ships and mortgages.

The next question was how these privileges or liens should be classified, and what their relative importance should be. The main difference between the English system and the Continental ones in this respect, speaking broadly, is, says the *Times* correspondent, that by our law liens rank in their inverse order of date—i.e., the last comes first—with the exception of the lien for damage by collision, which takes priority of the others irrespective of date, except subsequent salvage; while on the Continent there is a fixed order of liens, *droits conservatoires* having the preference, and collision in some systems giving no lien at all. After discussion it was resolved that a maritime lien should be given for damage caused by a ship to third parties in accordance with English law, but a proposal that the collision lien should have a rank similar to that which it holds in English law, subject to wages and subsequent salvage, was rejected. Another resolution, moved by Mr. Acland, that it should be referred to a committee to inquire and report what rank should be given to this lien, was adopted; and the whole question was similarly referred for further examination.

The next subject for discussion was the consideration of a draft treaty defining, in accordance with resolutions arrived at at the Hamburg Conference, the bases of jurisdiction in collision. This proposed to give "competence" for this purpose to one of the following courts:—(1) that of the domicil of the shipowner; (2) that of the place of collision if that took place in territorial waters; (3) that of the ship's port of registry; (4) that of the place where the defendant ship is arrested, such competent court being also competent to determine a cross-action or counterclaim arising out of the same collision, and the competence of the particular court in each case being determined by its municipal law. After lengthened discussion, the second ground of jurisdiction was retained, as were also the third and fourth grounds.

The last subject of discussion was a draft treaty for the limitation of shipowners' liability on the lines formulated at the previous conferences at London in 1899 and Paris in 1900. The effect of the treaty is, says the *Times* correspondent, to give the shipowner the right of selecting at his option either the British system, paying £8 per ton of his ship, or the Continental system, abandoning his ship and freight or paying their value—this being applicable not only in respect of the acts of master and crew in the navigation of the ship, but also in respect of contracts and liabilities incurred by the shipowner, except where the breach is due to the shipowner's personal fault, to which it is not applicable in England. The conference resolved, confirming the London and Paris resolutions, to approve the draft treaty in first reading, reserving further consideration of detail and redrafting to another conference.

Obituary.

Sir Edwin Hughes.

The death is announced of Colonel Sir Edwin Hughes, solicitor, at the age of seventy-two. He was a son of the late Mr. William Hughes, of Woolwich Arsenal, and was educated at King Edward VI's School, Birmingham. He was admitted as a solicitor in 1860 and commenced practice at Woolwich. About 1865 he was appointed chief Conservative agent for the county. In 1885 he was elected the first member of Parliament for Woolwich by a large majority. At the next election and in 1892 and in 1895 and at the last general election he was again returned, but resigned in 1902, when he was knighted. During the greater part of his Parliamentary life he represented Woolwich on the London County Council. He was the first mayor of Woolwich in 1900. He was an enthusiastic volunteer, but retired in 1887, and became hon. colonel of the brigade which he had commanded for twenty-eight years.

It is stated that Lord Brampton is compiling a volume of reminiscences of his long and distinguished career at the bar and on the bench.

The other day, says the *Allahabad Law Journal*, in a criminal matter which came up before Mr. Justice Banerji, sitting as a vacation judge, his lordship had to strongly censure a magistrate who had used improper language, and adopted a superior attitude towards a sessions judge, in submitting an explanation regarding an application for criminal revision. "It is time," remarks our contemporary, "that such magistrates knew that it is not within their province to criticize superior courts, and that judicial sobriety and decorum require that the orders of a superior court should be loyally obeyed. But it seems there is something in magisterial powers which cannot allow some of our magistrates to own a higher authority or possess a proper balance of mind." [This characteristic does not appear to be confined to India.]

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Legal News.

Changes in Partnerships.

Dissolution.

ROBERT CHANCELLOR NESBITT, WILLIAM REGINALD PALGRAVE, and FREDERICK WILLIAM BROWN, solicitors (Wadeson & Malleson), 7, Devonshire-square, London, Aug. 31. So far as concerns the said William Reginald Palgrave. The business will be carried on as heretofore by the said Robert Chancellor Nesbitt and Frederick William Brown under the said style or firm of Wadeson & Malleson. [Gazette, Sept. 20.]

Information Required.

FRANCIS ANDERSON.—Wanted, information as to Papers some time in possession of Francis Anderson, formerly of the Boulevard Madeline, Paris, and afterwards of No. 6A, South-side, Clapham Common, and of No. 27, Chancery-lane, solicitor. Francis Anderson (if living), or his successor in practice, is kindly requested to communicate with Frank Richardson & Sadlers, solicitors, 28, Golden-square, London, W.

General.

It is stated that the committee appointed to investigate the circumstances of Adolf Beck's conviction will hold its first meeting in October. While it will rest with the committee to settle its own mode of procedure, and to decide whether or not the investigation shall be public or private, it is announced that arrangements will certainly be made to inform the public of all that concerns them, even should it be determined not to have representatives of the Press present at the proceedings.

The urgent need for the speedy completion of the new Central Criminal Court is, says the *Westminster Gazette*, again emphasized this week, when the unusual spectacle is seen of five courts sitting concurrently in the present building—the fifth court having had to be improvised out of the room generally used by the grand jury. This arrangement is by no means a satisfactory one, there being no proper accommodation for judge, counsel, jury, witnesses, or anyone else. Although this is not the first occasion on which a fifth court has sat, it is at least fifteen or more years since it happened previously.

Alexander Simpson, of the Philadelphia bar, recently related, says the *Central Law Journal*, that his first professional experience was in defending a man charged with assault and battery, before a justice of the peace. After the evidence was all in, there being, as Mr. Simpson thought, not sufficient evidence to incriminate his client, he closed his argument, into which he had thrown all the feeling and pathos of which he was capable, by saying, "On such testimony your honour can't hold my client." "Can't, eh?" said the justice. "I held three men yesterday on no evidence at all. Never say 'can't' to me, young man."

Mr. Justice Bucknill has fixed the following commission days for holding the autumn assizes on the Midland Circuit: Aylesbury, Monday, November 7; Bedford, Thursday, November 10; Northampton, Monday, November 14; Leicester, Friday, November 18; Lincoln, Wednesday, November 23; Nottingham, Monday, November 28; Derby, Thursday, December 1; Warwick, Tuesday, December 6; Birmingham, Saturday, November 10. Prisoner only will be tried at all the above places except Birmingham, where civil business will also be taken. Mr. Justice Channell, who goes on the Oxford Circuit, will join Mr. Justice Bucknill in Birmingham.

The *Statist*, writing on the subject of companies intended to operate outside Guernsey being registered under the limited liability law of that island, says that from the beginning of 1902 company promoters have revelled in registrations in the island. One company has been registered with a capital of £12,000,000, one with £10,000,000, another with £5,000,000, two with £2,000,000, one with £1,800,000, three with £1,500,000, two with £1,200,000, and seventeen companies with £1,000,000 each. A great number of concerns with smaller capitals have also been registered. Nominally the reason for this is that registration is cheap in Guernsey. It costs £30, irrespective of whether the amount of capital is £20,000,000 or £20,000. Registration in London costs £280, which is excessive. But the true reason is that companies registered in Guernsey need not file any particulars of the properties acquired, the total amount of consideration money, or the parties to agreements; all the company registered in Guernsey has to do is to file its memorandum and articles of association, and a list in January each year of its shareholders, with name, address, and holding.

The Property Mart.

Sale of the Ensuing Week.

Sept. 29.—Messrs. STIMSON & SONS, at the Mart, at 2:—Freehold Ground-rents: £9 per annum upon Nos. 3, 4, and 5, Christians-cottages, Trimby-street, Grange-hundred-road, Peckham; £6 per annum, upon Nos. 4, 5, and 6, Hamilton-road, Balton-road, Herne-hill. Solicitors, Messrs. Reed & Reed, London.—By order of His Majesty's Postmaster-General: The important Corner Premises, No. 110, Upper Tooting-road, until recently used as the district sorting office, and adaptable for conversion into business premises; with Possession; held for 99 years from March 25, 1883, at £26. Solicitor's Department, General Post Office, E.C. (See advertisements, this week, p. iv.)

Winding-up Notices.

London Gazette.—FRIDAY, Sept. 16.

JOINT STOCK COMPANIES.

LIMITED IN CHANCERY.

BRITISH CORRESPONDENCE SCHOOLS, LIMITED.—Creditors are required, on or before Oct. 18, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to Ernest Frank Peirson, 17, Hertford st, Coventry. Hughes & Masser, Coventry, solars for liquidator

EVERLY COLOUR PRINTING CO., LIMITED.—Creditors are required, on or before Nov. 2, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to William Freeman Jack, 2, East India av, Leadenhall st. Payne, Budge row, solars for liquidator

GLENFIELD PUBLIC HALL AND RECREATION CO., LIMITED.—Creditors are required, on or before Nov. 7, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to John Alfred Hopps, 25, Friar ln, Leicestershire

NEW SOUTH LONDON, LIMITED.—Creditors are required, on or before Oct. 26, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to Henry Tozer, 37, Watbrook. Wells & Sons, Paternoster row, solars for liquidator

SCRUTTON'S FUNCH BITTERS CO., LIMITED (IN VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION)—Creditors are required, on or before Oct. 17, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to Alfred Aylett Moore, 3, Croxby sq

THOMAS TURNER, LIMITED.—Creditors are required, on or before Nov. 1, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to Mr. Sidney Martin, 39, High st, Watford. Sedgwick & Co, Watford, solars for liquidator

WILLIAM PETERSEN, LIMITED.—Petition for winding up, presented Sept. 14, directed to be heard before Warrington, J, at the Royal Courts of Justice, on Sept. 28. Rawle & Co, Bedford row, for Cooper & Goodger, Newcastle on Tyne, solars for petitioners. Notice of appearing must reach the above-named not later than 6 o'clock in the afternoon of Sept. 27

London Gazette.—TUESDAY, Sept. 20.

JOINT STOCK COMPANIES.

LIMITED IN CHANCERY.

MIDLAND BUILDING AND SUPPLY CO., LIMITED (IN LIQUIDATION)—Creditors are required, on or before Oct. 26, to send their names and addresses, together with full particulars of their debts or claims, to Thomas Galland Mellors, 1, King John's Chambers, Bridlesmith gate, Nottingham

SYNDICAT NORD AFRICAIN, LIMITED.—Creditors are required, on or before Oct. 20, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to Mr. Frederick Seymour Salaman, 1, Oxford ct, Cannon st. Wild & Co, solars for liquidator

Creditors' Notices.

Under Estates in Chancery.

LAST DAY OF CLAIM.

London Gazette.—FRIDAY, Sept. 9.

DYSON, AMOS, Waterhead, Oldham, Lancs. Licensed Victualler Oct. 13 Travis v Dyson Registrar, Manchester Jackson, Oldham

GREAVES, WILLIAM, Tunbridge Wells Oct. 30 Greaves v Greaves, Joyce, J. Robb, King William st

Under 22 & 23 Vict. cap. 35.

LAST DAY OF CLAIM.

London Gazette.—FRIDAY, Sept. 16.

ALLEN, JAMES, Preston, Foreman Malister Oct. 17 Willan, Preston

BAIRD, CAROLINE ANN, Crowborough, Sussex Nov. 1 Lewis & Pain, Doves

BASSETT, RALPH THURESTAN, Cowbridge, Glam. Oct. 15 Williams & Prichard, Cardiff

BOGUE, ROBERT LACHLAN, Liverpool Oct. 13 Garnett & Co, Liverpool

CASLTES, HENRY, Distinguishing, Cumberland Sept. 30 Chapman, Whitehaven

CHADWICK, JOSEPH, Birmingham Electro Plater Oct. 20 China, Birmingham

CHARLES, JAMES, Headingley, Leeds Dec. 13 Simpson & Co, Leeds

CLARK, JUDITH, Josephine av, Brixton hill Nov. 13 Fiske, Norfolk st, Strand

COCKLE, MARK, Worsley Oct. 27 Burton & Son, Blackfriars rd

DAVIES, JOHN, Merthyr Tydfil Nov. 1 James & Co, Merthyr Tydfil

DAVIS, EDWIS, Swansea Oct. 12 Taylor, Swansea

FOX, GEORGE JOHN, Shrewsbury, Hotel Proprietor Oct. 22 Salt & Sons, Shrewsbury

GALATTI, DEMETRIUS AUGUSTUS, Sefton Park, Liverpool Oct. 31 Batesons & Co, Liverpool

GRIFFIN, WILLIAM EDWARD, Bannister, Norfolk, Farmer Oct. 11 Houchen & Co, Thetford, Norfolk

GRIGG, SAMUEL, High Felling, Durham Oct. 29 Swinburne, Gateshead

GUINET, CAROLINE ANN, Bury pl, Camden rd Oct. 16 Greville & Son, Staple inn, Holborn

HARRISON, CHARLES AUGUSTUS, Birmingham, Chartered Accountant Oct. 31 Johnsons & Co, Birmingham

HARSLAW, MARY, Cheshole Hulme, Cheshire Oct. 21 Lyrett & Jeppon, Manchester

HOOK, ANN, Tenterden, Kent Oct. 14 Mace & Sons, Tenterden

JONES, JOHN ALFRED, Sutton Coldfield, Warwick Oct. 31 Johnsons & Co, Birmingham

KEEP, FREDERICK, Birmingham Oct. 31 Johnsons & Co, Birmingham

LOUGHRETT, FRANCIS ETHELBERT, Brighton Sept. 30 Blount & Co, Albermarle st

LUCK, GEORGE, Wadhouse, Sussex, Builder Oct. 14 Bass, Tunbridge Wells

MYTALFE, MARY, Bainbridge, York Sept. 30 Willan, Hawes, RSO

MYTALFE, WILLIAM, Bainbridge nr Askrigg, York Sept. 30 Willan, Hawes, RSO

MILLERS, JOHN, Sittingbourne Oct. 11 Harris & Harris, Sittingbourne

MOORE, DANIEL, Selsford st, Clerknewell Oct. 22 Burnand, Vincent ter, Islington

MURRAY, ROBERT, Newcastle upon Tyne Oct. 19 Dransfield & Elsdon, Newcastle upon Tyne

OLDFIELD, JOHN, WILLIAM SPENCER, Harrow Oct. 1 Fisher & Stephens, New st, Lincoln's Inn

OWENS, FANNY, Hereford Oct. 25 Humphry, Hereford

ROBERTS, THOMAS, Fownhope, Hereford Oct. 15 Wallis, Hereford

ROBERTS, MARY, Fownhope, Hereford Oct. 15 Wallis, Hereford

ROOFS, WALTER, Guisborough st, Russell sq Oct. 8 Philpot & Morell, Bedford row

SCOTT, WALTER, Sunderland, Chemist Oct. 29 Graham & Shepherd, Sunderland

SELF, THOMAS, Beccles, Suffolk Oct. 17 Scott, Chancery ln

SHAW, GEORGE, Birmingham, Patent Agent Nov. 1 Johnsons & Co, Birmingham

STUBBIN, MARGARET EMILY, Ipswich Oct. 26 Welton, Woodbridge, Suffolk

THOM, EMMA JANE, Cornhill rd, Westbourne Park Sept. 30 Rowland, Manchester

WILCOX, JOHN, Bristol, Mineral Water Manufacturer Oct. 31 Pomeroy, Bristol

WILKINSON, PERRY NEWTON, Haslemere, Surrey Oct. 31 White, Holborn viaduct

WILLIAMSON, ANN, Cambridge rd, Hyde Park Oct. 31 White, Holborn viaduct

Bankruptcy Notices.

London Gazette.—TUESDAY, Sept. 13.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

ALDERSON, GEORGE WILLIAM, Sunderland, Plumber Sunderland Pet Sept 8 Ord Sept 8

ATTWOOD, RHODA, Coaley, Staffs, Licensed Victualler Dudley Pet Sept 8 Ord Sept 8

BENSON, THOMAS, Headingley, Leeds, Grocer Leeds Pet Sept 8 Ord Sept 8

BILTCRIFLE, GEORGE, Paddock, Huddersfield, Butcher Sept 21 at 8 Off Rec, Prudential bridge, New st, Huddersfield

BUNN, DAVID THOMAS, Dinas, Glam, Vanman Sept 21 at 12 135, High st, Merthyr Tydfil

BURTON, GEORGE, Charing, Kent, Butcher Sept 22 at 9.30 Off Rec, 68, Castle st, Canterbury

CARRINGTON, KNOWLES, MASON, Leicester, Corn Merchant Sept 21 at 12 Off Rec, 1, Berriedge st, Leicester

COLES, GEORGE, Kirkley, L'westoft Sept 24 at 12.30 Off Rec, 8, King st, Norwich

COOPER, JOHN GEORGE, and FREDERICK JAMES HAWARD, Ipswich, Builders Sept 21 at 2 Off Rec, 36, Princes st, Ipswich

COUET, ALBERT STEPHEN, Blaenavon, Mon, Licensed Victualler Sept 23 at 12 135, High st, Merthyr Tydfil

CROMBE, WILLIAM, Shoeburyness, Outfitter Sept 22 at 3 14, Bedford row

DUDLEY, WILLIAM, Wolverhampton, Bedding Manufacturer Sept 22 at 12 Off Rec, Wolverhampton

CARLTON, ROBERT MACRAY, Duke st, St James's High Court Pet June 16 Ord Sept 10

CARLTON, ROBERT, MASON, Leicester, Corn Merchant Leicesters Pet Sept 8 Ord Sept 8

COLLARD, GEORGE HENRY, Penselwood, Somerset, Beerhouse Keeper Yovil Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 9

COOPER, JOHN, Bolton, Bookbinder Bolton Pet Sept 10 Ord Sept 10

BURTON, GEORGE, Charing Heath, Charing, Kent, Butcher Canterbury Pet Sept 10 Ord Sept 10

CADWELL, ROBERT MACRAY, Duke st, St James's High Court Pet June 16 Ord Sept 10

CARLTON, ROBERT, MASON, Leicester, Corn Merchant Leicesters Pet Sept 8 Ord Sept 8

COLLARD, GEORGE HENRY, Penselwood, Somerset, Beerhouse Keeper Yovil Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 9

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CROMBE, WILLIAM, Shoeburyness, Outfitter Sept 22 at 3 14, Bedford row

DUDLEY, WILLIAM, Wolverhampton, Bedding Manufacturer Sept 22 at 12 Off Rec, Wolverhampton

EDWARDS, WILLIAM, Barnau, Gualditch, Montgomery, Farmer Sept 29 at 10.45 1, High st, Newtown

FAULDS & SON, J H, City rd, Furniture Agents Sept 21 at 12 Bankruptcy bldgs, Carey st

FISHPOOL, FRANCIS PROBUTT, Fulham, Insurance Agent High Court Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 9

FOX, CHARLES, Fonthill Bishop, Wiltz, Innkeeper Salisbury Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 9

FURNIVAL, GEORGE, Audlem, Cheshire, Farmer Crewe Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 9

HAGGATA, FREDERICK GEORGE, Gt Yarmouth, Waggonette Driver Gt Yarmouth Pet Sept 10 Ord Sept 10

HARRIES, THOMAS DANIEL ARTHUR, Fishponds, Bristol, Clerk Bristol Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 9

HEWITT, GEORGE EARL SMITH, Balham, Draper's Commission Traveller Wandsworth Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 9

HOMER, CHARLES, Derby, Jeweller Derby Pet Sept 5 Ord Sept 5

JONES, CHARLES, Birkenhead, Cheshire, Engineer Birkenhead Pet Aug 4 Ord Sept 7

FAULDS & SON, J H, City rd, Furniture Agents High Court Pet Sept 2 Ord Sept 2

FISHPOOL, FRANCIS PROBUTT, Fulham, Insurance Agent High Court Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 9

FOX, CHARLES, Fonthill Bishop, Wiltz, Innkeeper Salisbury Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 9

FURNIVAL, GEORGE, Audlem, Cheshire, Farmer Crewe Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 9

HAGGATA, FREDERICK GEORGE, Gt Yarmouth, Waggonette Driver Gt Yarmouth Pet Sept 10 Ord Sept 10

HARRIES, THOMAS DANIEL ARTHUR, Fishponds, Bristol, Clerk Bristol Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 9

HEWITT, GEORGE EARL SMITH, Balham, Draper's Commission Traveller Wandsworth Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 9

HOMER, CHARLES, Derby, Jeweller Derby Pet Sept 5 Ord Sept 5

JONES, CHARLES, Birkenhead, Cheshire, Engineer Birkenhead Pet Aug 4 Ord Sept 7

JORDAN, JOHN, Whatelefe, Surrey, Ironmonger Croydon Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 9

LEE, CHARLES, Heywood, Lancs, Photographer Bolton Pet Sept 10 Ord Sept 10

LINGHAM, HENRY, Maidstone, Blacksmith Maidstone Pet Sept 8 Ord Sept 8

MACINTOSH, ANNIE, Newport, Mon, Newport, Mon Pet Aug 25 Ord Sept 8

MITCHEL, WILLIAM, Southampton, Hotel Proprietor Southampton Pet Sept 10 Ord Sept 10

PIKE, FRANKLIN WILDFORCE, Winchmore Hill, Market Gardener Edmonton Pet Sept 8 Ord Sept 8

PRESTON, ALICE MAUD, Folkestone Canterbury Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 9

PRESTON, LILLIAN ALEXANDRA, Folkestone Canterbury Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 9

RATCLIFFE, JOHN THOMAS, Hazelgrove, Cheshire, Yeast Merchant Stockport Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 9

ROBERTSON, JAMES MITCHELL, Carlton, Cambridge, Farmer Cambridge Pet Sept 8 Ord Sept 8

SIMPSON, WILLIAM WOOLNOUGH, Coleman st, High Court Pet Aug 17 Ord Sept 8

SIMPSON, WILLIAM WOOLNOUGH, Coleman st, High Court Pet Sept 7 Ord Sept 7

SIMPSON, WILLIAM WOOLNOUGH, Coleman st, High Court Pet Sept 8 Ord Sept 8

SPENCE, EDWARD GUISELEY, Leeds, Butcher Leeds Pet Sept 7 Ord Sept 7

SYKES, FRED, Morley, Yorks, Cabinet Maker Lewes Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 9

TELFORD, MARY, Carlisle, Grocer Carlisle Pet Sept 10 Ord Sept 10

THOMAS, EDWARD, Park Houses, nr Abercairnai, Merthyr Tydfil, Labourer Merthyr Tydfil Pet Sept 7 Ord Sept 7

THOMAS, JOHN, Tir Phil, Glam, Wheelwright Merthyr Tydfil Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 9

THOMAS, JOHN NEWTON, Manchester, Estate Agent Manchester Pet Aug 20 Ord Sept 8

VAN PRAAGH, AARON, Commercial rd East, Money Lender High Court Pet Aug 12 Ord Sept 8

VAUGHAN, FRANK, Liscard, Photo Engraver Birkenhead Pet Aug 24 Ord Sept 9

WHITELOCK, HENRY W., Manor Park, Essex High Court Pet Aug 17 Ord Sept 8

WILKINSON, ROBERT HENRY, and EDWARD JOSEPH WILKINSON, Brampton, Hunts, Coal Dealers Peterborough Pet Sept 10 Ord Sept 10

WILLIAMSON, LIVINE, Luton, Straw Hat Manufacturer Luton Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 9

WILSON, WILLIAM HUMPHREY, Swans, Upholsterer Swans Pet Sept 10 Ord Sept 10

Amended notice substituted for that in the London Gazette of Sept 2:

BEALL, EBENEZER, Winchester, Costumier Winchester Pet Aug 9 Ord Aug 9

FIRST MEETINGS.

ALDERSON, GEORGE WILLIAM, Sunderland, Plumber Sept 21 at 3 Off Rec, 24, John st, Sunderland

ALDRIDGE, JOHN, West Horsley, Surrey, Farmer Sept 21 at 11.30 24, Railway st, London Bridge

ANTHONY, JOSEPH FARNOL, Sheffield, Butcher Sept 21 at 12 Off Rec, Fivetime st, Sheffield

BEALL, EBENEZER, Winchester, Costumier Sept 22 at 3 Off Rec, Midland Bank chmrs, High st, Southampton

BENSON, THOMAS, Headingley, Leeds, Grocer Sept 21 at 11.30 Off Rec, 22, Park row, Leeds

BENTLEY, WILLIAM, Margate, Grocer's Assistant Sept 22 at 9 Off Rec, 68, Castle st, Canterbury

BRADBURN, JOHN, Bolton, Bookbinder Bolton Pet Sept 10 Ord Sept 10

BURTON, GEORGE, Charing, Kent, Butcher Canterbury Pet Sept 10 Ord Sept 10

CARRINGTON, KNOWLES, MASON, Leicester, Corn Merchant Leicester Pet Sept 8 Ord Sept 8

CLARK, FREDERICK JOSEPH, and EDWARD TAPRELL CLARK, Rochdale, Flannel Manufacturers Rochdale Pet July 12 Ord Sept 8

COLLARD, GEORGE HENRY, Penselwood, Somerset, Beerhouse Keeper Yovil Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 9

COUSINS, JOHN DANIELLE, HENRY, Berkhamsted, Herts, Draper Aylesbury Pet July 13 Ord Sept 10

DAVIES, EDWARD, Newtown, Montgomery, Farmer Newtown Pet Aug 19 Ord Sept 9

FISHPOOL, FRANCIS PROBUTT, Fulham, Insurance Agent High Court Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 9

FOX, CHARLES, Fonthill Bishop, Wiltz, Innkeeper Salisbury Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 9

FURNIVAL, GEORGE, Audlem, Cheshire, Farmer Crewe Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 9

HACKWILL, GEORGE HOW, Upplowman, nr Tiverton, Devon Barnstaple Pet Aug 6 Ord Sept 8

HAGGATA, FREDERICK GEORGE, Gt Yarmouth, Waggonette Driver Gt Yarmouth Pet Sept 10 Ord Sept 10

HOMER, CHARLES, Derby, Jeweller Derby Pet Sept 5 Ord Sept 5

HUNT, THOMAS, Stockport, Lancs, Tailor Stockport Pet Aug 18 Pet Sept 9

LEE, CHARLES, Heywood, Lancs, Photographer Bolton Pet Sept 10 Ord Sept 10

LEVY, MORIS, Harlesden, Tailor High Court Pet July 14 Ord Sept 10

LINGHAM, HENRY, Maidstone, Blacksmith Maidstone Pet Sept 8 Ord Sept 8

LYON, FREDERICK HENRY CLEVELAND, Stavordale rd, Highbury hill High Court Pet July 12 Ord Sept 10

MACINTOSH, ANNIE, Newport, Mon, Newport, Mon Pet Aug 25 Ord Sept 8

MITCHEL, WILLIAM, Southampton, Hotel Proprietor Southampton Pet Sept 10 Ord Sept 10

NORTON, CHARLES, Finsbury pk, Cabinet Maker High Court Pet Aug 25 Ord Sept 9

OSBALDSTON, FRANK, Chancery In, Solicitor High Court Pet April 18 Ord Sept 2

PIKE, FRANKLIN WILDFORCE, Winchmore Hill, Market Gardener Edmonton Pet Sept 8 Ord Sept 8

PRESTON, ALICE MAUD, Folkestone Canterbury Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 9

PRESTON, LILLIAN ALEXANDRA, Folkestone Canterbury Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 9

RATCLIFFE, JOHN THOMAS, Hazelgrove, Cheshire, Yeast Merchant Stockport Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 9

ROBERTSON, HENRY CHARLES, Birmingham, Upholsterer Birmingham Pet Sept 5 Ord Sept 9

ROBERTSON, JAMES MITCHELL, Carlton, Cambridge, Farmer Cambridge Pet Sept 8 Ord Sept 8

SHEWELL, HENRY, and SAMU FRANK, Broughton, Salford, Confectioners Salford Pet Sept 7 Ord Sept 8

SKIDMORE, WILLIAM, Birmingham, Baker Birmingham Pet Sept 8 Ord Sept 9

SMITH, SAMUEL, Scarborough, Painter Scarborough Pet Sept 8 Ord Sept 8

SPENCE, EDWARD GUISELEY, Leeds, Butcher Leeds Pet Sept 7 Ord Sept 7

SYKES, FRED, Morley, Yorks, Cabinet Maker Dewsbury Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 9

TELFORD, MARY, Carlisle, Grocer Carlisle Pet Sept 10 Ord Sept 10

THOMAS, EDWARD, Park Houses, nr Abercairnai, Merthyr Tydfil, Labourer Merthyr Tydfil Pet Sept 7 Ord Sept 9

THOMAS, JOHN, Tir Phil, Glam, Wheelwright Merthyr Tydfil Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 9

WARNER, THOMAS, AZON MANOR, Warwick, Baker Birmingham Pet July 27 Ord Sept 10

WIGETWICK, WILLIAM JEFFREY, Tonbridge, Tallow Chandler Tunbridge Wells Pet Aug 2 Ord Sept 9

WILKINSON, ROBERT HENRY, and EDWARD JOSEPH WILKINSON, Brampton, Hunts, Coal Dealers Peterborough Pet Sept 10 Ord Sept 10

WILSON, WILLIAM HUMPHREY, Swans, Upholsterer Swans Pet Sept 10 Ord Sept 10

WYATT, WILLIAM JUN, Corne, Dorset, Farmer Yeovil Pet Aug 29 Ord Sept 8

Amended notice substituted for that published in the London Gazette of Sept 2:

BEAL, EBENEZER, Winchester, Costumier Winchester Pet Aug 9 Ord Aug 9

ADJUDICATION ANNULLED.

GORHAM, CHARLES, Nottingham, Wood Engraver Leeds Adjud Nov 16, 1891 Annul Sept 7, 1894

London Gazette.—FRIDAY, Sept. 16.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

ANDERSON, F C, New Broad st, High Court Pet Aug 18 Ord Sept 12

ANDREW, ALFRED and ARTHUR BANKS ANDREW, Nottingham, Grocers Nottingham Pet Sept 13 Ord Sept 12

BAKER, JOHN, Leicester, Licensed Victualler Leicester Pet Aug 25 Ord Sept 13

BALL, THOMAS, Baachurch, Selop, Tailor Shrewsbury Pet Sept 14 Ord Sept 14

BARRELL, JOHN SAMUEL WILLIAM CATTING, Stowmarket, Suffolk, Coal Merchant Bury st Edmunds Pet Sept 14 Ord Sept 14

BARRETT, WILLIAM, Hanley, Fish Dealer Hanley Pet Sept 14 Ord Sept 14

BARROW, ADA BARROW, Leicester Leicester Pet Sept 11 Ord Sept 14

BERRINGTON, JOSEPH, Frodsham, Chester, Wheelwright Watlington Pet Sept 12 Ord Sept 12

BIRMINGHAM, GEORGE, Plymouth, Bookseller Plymouth Pet Sept 12 Ord Sept 12

BRAMPT, WILLIAM JOHN, High Holborn, Confectioner High Court Pet Aug 24 Ord Sept 12

BRAY, SARAH, Penrhynsber, Glam, Confectioner Fawdry pridd Pet Sept 12 Ord Sept 12

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BULL, ANN, Walsall Pet Sept 12 Ord Sept 12
CALVER, EDMUND, Weston super Mare, Outfitter Bridgewater Pet Sept 5 Ord Sept 12
CLARK, WILLIAM JOHN, Newton Abbot, Devon, Carpenter Exeter Pet Sept 13 Ord Sept 13
CHAGO, EDGAR CECIL, Southend on Sea, Florist Chelmsford Pet Sept 13 Ord Sept 12
DAVIES, JOHN, Aberdare, Travelling Draper Aberdare Pet Sept 13 Ord Sept 13
DUCKWORTH, RICHARD, Hulme, Manchester, Plumber Manchester Pet Sept 12 Ord Sept 12
DUODALE, WALTER BOOTH, South Shields, Painter Newcastle on Tyne Pet Sept 13 Ord Sept 13
EVANS, THOMAS EDMUND, Swansea, Licensed Victualler Swansea Pet 8 pt 13 Ord Sept 13
FLAXMAN, G, Park av, Palmers Green, Commercial Clerk Edmonton Pet July 1 Ord Sept 12
GELDER, WALTER, Northowram, Halifax, Innkeeper Halifax Pet Sept 13 Ord Sept 13
GIRLING, H, Howard rd, Crocklewood, Builder Windsor Pet Aug 6 Ord Sept
GOODWIN, WILLIAM EDWARD, Portobello, nr Wolverhampton, Baker Wolverhampton Pet Sept 13 Ord Sept 13
GREEN, MARCUS, Birmingham, Boot Dealer Birmingham Pet Aug 30 Ord Sept 14
GRIFFITHS, EVAN, Penrhycer, Glam, Builder Pontypridd Pet Sept 14 Ord Sept 14
GREEN, JAMES, Darwen, Lancs, Drysalter Blackburn Pet Sept 3 Ord Sept 14
HANLEY, JOHN RICHARD, Ludlow, Salop, Hairdresser Leominster Pet Sept 12 Ord Sept 12
HARVEY, MARY JANE, Warminster, Wilts, Restaurant Keeper Frome Pet Sept 12 Ord Sept 12
HOLDSWORTH, JOSEPH, Wakefield, Draper Wakefield Pet Sept 15 Ord Sept 13
JENKINS, HANNAH, Penrhycer, Glam, Newsagent Pontypridd Pet Sept 18 Ord Sept 13
KEMP, HARRY, Brighton, Brighton Pet Sept 14 Ord Sept 14
KERRIDGE, ALLAN EDWARD, Chedburgh, Suffolk, Farmer Bury St Edmunds Pet Aug 31 Ord Sept 14
MORTIBOY, EDWARD, Winchmore Hill, Dairymen Edmonton Pet Aug 8 Ord Sept 12
PLUMMER, JOHN, Stockton on Tees, Blacksmith Stockton on Tees Pet Sept 12 Ord Sept 12
POPE, GEORGE EDWARD, Wedmore, Somerset, Farmer Wells Pet Aug 6 Ord Sept 14
SAUNDERS, JOHN F, Winchmore Hill, Chemist Edmonton Pet Aug 16 Ord Sept 12
WARD, GEORGE HENRY, Liverpool, Steam Tug Owner Liverpool Pet Aug 30 Ord Sept 14
WATSON, MARY ROBINSON, New Southgate Edmonton Pet Aug 5 Ord Sept 12
WEARE, JONAH, Axbridge, Somerset, Plumber Wells Pet Sept 12 Ord Sept 12
WEBB, ROBERT, Bristol, Cabinet Maker Bristol Pet Sept 12 Ord Sept 12
WEDGWOOD, THOMAS COLLIN, Dearham, Cumberland, Market Gardener Cockermouth Pet Sept 12 Ord Sept 12
WINTERS, ALFRED, and FREDERICK PAGE, Tower hill High Court Pet Sept 10 Ord Sept 10
YOUNG, THOMAS, Bargoed, Glam, Flannel Dealer Pontypridd Pet Sept 13 Ord Sept 13

ADJUDICATIONS.

ANDREW, ALFRED, and ARTHUR BANES ANDREW, Nottingham, Grocer Nottingham Pet Sept 13 Ord Sept 13
ASHTON, HENRY ALLEN, Chancery Ln, Company Director High Court Pet Aug 9 Ord Sept 14
BARNELL, JOHN SAMUEL WILLIAM CATTING, Stowmarket, Suffolk, Coal Merchant St Edmunds Pet Sept 14 Ord Sept 14
BARNETT, WILLIAM, Hanley, Fish Dealer Hanley Pet Sept 14 Ord Sept 14
BATEMAN, EDGAR VAUGHAN, Warham rd, Harringay High Court Pet July 27 Ord Sept 10
BERRINGTON, JOSEPH, Frodsham, Chester, Wheelwright Warrington Pet Sept 12 Ord Sept 12
BIRMINGHAM, GEORGE, Plymouth, Bookseller Plymouth Pet Sept 12 Ord Sept 12
BRAY, SARAH, Penrhycer, Glam, Confectioner Pontypridd Pet Sept 12 Ord Sept 12
BULL, ANN, Walsall Walsall Pet Sept 12 Ord Sept 12
BUTCHERS, LEWIS FRANK, Fulham High Court Pet Aug 13 Ord Sept 10
CLARK, WILLIAM JOHN, Newton Abbot, Devon, Carpenter Exeter Pet Sept 13 Ord Sept 13
COLLEY, GEORGE, Lowestoft, Gt Yarmouth Pet Aug 17 Ord Sept 13
CRAIGO, EDGAR CECIL, Southend on Sea, Florist Chelmsford Pet Sept 12 Ord Sept 12
DAVIES, JOHN, Aberdare, Travelling Draper Aberdare Pet Sept 13 Ord Sept 13
DICKENS, CHARLES WILLIAM, Fenchurch st, Mercantile Clerk Chelmsford Pet Aug 4 Ord Sept 12
DOCKWORTH, RICHARD, Hulme, Manchester Plumber Manchester Pet Sept 12 Ord Sept 12
DUODALE, WALTER BOOTH, South Shields, Painter Newcastle on Tyne Pet Sept 13 Ord Sept 13
EDWARDS, EDWARD, Leytonstone High Court Pet July 22 Ord Sept 10
EVANS, THOMAS EDMUND, Swansea, Licensed Victualler Swansea Pet Sept 13 Ord Sept 13
GELDER, WALTER, Northowram, Halifax, Innkeeper Halifax Pet Sept 13 Ord Sept 13
GREVILLE, EDEN EBKINE, Haymarket, Solicitor High Court Pet May 20 Ord Sept 10
GRIFFITHS, EVAN, Penrhycer, Glam, Builder Pontypridd Pet Sept 14 Ord Sept 14
HARPER, JOHN RICHARD, Ludlow, Salop, Hairdresser Leominster Pet Sept 12 Ord Sept 12
HARRIES, THOMAS DANIEL ARTHUR, Bristol, Corn Merchant's Clerk Bristol Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 14
HARVEY, MARY JANE, Warminster, Wilts, Restaurant Keeper Frome Pet Sept 12 Ord Sept 12
HEWITT, GEORGE EARL SMITH, Carminia rd, Balham, Drapers' Traveller Wandsworth Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 14
HILL, ROBERT, Haven green, Ealing Brentford Pet Aug 13 Ord Sept 12
HOLLAND, ALFRED AULT, Belper, Derby, Plumber Derby Pet July 8 Ord 8 pt 12
HOPWOOD, JOHN, Tachbrook st, Fimlico High Court Pet March 7 Ord Sept 10
JENKINS, HANNAH, Penrhycer, Glam, Newsagent Pontypridd Pet Sept 13 Ord Sept 13
JONES, WILLIAM, Longton, Staffs, Draper Stoke upon Trent Pet Aug 19 Ord Sept 12
JOWETT, GIDEON, Bradford, Innkeeper Bradford Pet Aug 18 Ord Sept 13
LOVETT, R J ARDEN, Cheyne row, Chelsea High Court Pet May 27 Ord Sept 10
MCLEAN, ANDREW, Herneham, Surrey, Oil and Colorman Kingston, Surrey Pet Sept 8 Ord Sept 10
MARRIOTT, CHARLES, Birmingham, Japanner Birmingham Pet Aug 9 Ord Sept 10
NEWMAN, CHARLES, New Cross rd, Licensed Victualler High Court Pet Aug 24 Ord Sept 14
NEWMAN, JOHN A J, Evelina rd, Nunhead High Court Pet July 18 Ord Sept 10
PLUMMER, JOHN, Stockton on Tees, Blacksmith Stockton on Tees Pet Sept 12 Ord Sept 12
RICKARD, ALFRED JAMES WILKINSON, Landport, Naval Outfitter Portsmouth Pet Aug 29 Ord Sept 9
WEARE, JONAH, Axbridge, Somerset, Plumber Wells Pet Sept 12 Ord Sept 12
WEDGWOOD, THOMAS COLLIN, Dearham, Cumberland, Market Gardener Cockermouth Pet Sept 12 Ord Sept 12
WILLIAMSON, LEWIN, Luton, Bedford, Straw Hat Manufacturer Luton Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 13
WINTERS, ALFRED, and FREDERICK PAGE, Tower hill High Court Pet Sept 10 Ord Sept 10
YEDIRIKS, JOSEPH, Greenfield st, Whitechapel, Tailor High Court Pet Aug 13 Ord Sept 10
YOUNG, THOMAS, Bargoed, Glam, Flannel Dealer Pontypridd Pet Sept 13 Ord Sept 13

London Gazette.—TUESDAY, Sept. 20.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

ALLAN, ALEXANDER FORBES HENDERSON, Upper Thames st, Pet Sept 11 at 11 Bankruptcy bldgs, Carey st
AVENT, JOHN CHARLES, Plymouth, Boot Dealer Pet Sept 30 at 12 Rougemont Hotel, Exeter
BALL, THOMAS, Baschurch, Salop, Tailor Oct 11 at 10.30 Off Rec. 48 St John's hill, Shrewsbury
BARRATT, WILLIAM, Hanley, Fish Dealer Sept 28 at 10 Town Hall, Hanley
BOOTHMAN, MARK BERPORD, Burnley, Baker Sept 28 at 10.45 Off Rec. 14 Chapel st, Preston
BRADY, JOSEPH, Bedlington station, Northumberland, Baker Sept 28 at 12 Off Rec. 30, Mosley st, Newcastle on Tyne
BREASLEY, ABRAHAM, and WALTER GELDER, Halifax, Stone Merchants Sept 29 at 3 Off Rec. 14, Townhall chmrs, Halifax
BROADLEY, JOHN, Padham, Lancs, Hawker Sept 28 at 11 Off Rec. 14 Chapel st, Preston
BULL, ANN, Walsall, Greengrocer Oct 3 at 11.30 Off Rec. 14, Wolverhampton
CALVER, EDMUND, Weston super Mare, Outfitter Sept 28 at 11.30 Off Rec. 26, Baldwin st, Bristol
CLARK, WILLIAM JOHN, Newton Abbot, Devon, Carpenter Oct 6 at 10.30 Off Rec. 9, Bedford circus, Exeter
COX, JOHN, Hoo, Kent, Labourer Oct 3 at 11.30 115, High st, Rochester
CHAGO, EDGAR CECIL, Westcliff, Southend on Sea, Florist Sept 29 at 12 14, Bedford row
DIXON, WILLIAM, sen, Northbourne, Kent, Blacksmith Oct 6 at 9 Off Rec. 68, Castle st, Canterbury

HUCKWORTH, RICHARD, Hulme, Manchester, Plumber Sept 30 at 2.30 Off Rec, Byrom st, Manchester	HUGHES, CHARLES, Lampeter, Grocer Carmarthen Pet Sept 14 Ord Sept 14
FERRYMAN, THOMAS WATSON, Chancery ln, Surveyor Sept 30 at 11 Bankruptcy bldgs, Carey st	HUGHES, JOHN RICHARD, Tanyflynwent, Llanynghenedl, Anglesey, Joiner Bangor Pet Sept 15 Ord Sept 15
FUNIVAL, GEORGE, Audlem, Cheshire, Farmer Sept 30 at 10.30 Royal Hotel, Crewe	JEVONS, EDWARD RUSSELL, Birkenhead, Builder Birkenhead Pet Aug 9 Ord Sept 15
GILL, CHARLES, Bridgwater, Somerset, Fruiterer Sept 26 at 11 Off Rec, 26 Baldwin st, Bristol	JONES, ELIZABETH EMMA, Middlewick, Tobaccoconist Crewe Pet Sept 17 Ord Sept 17
HAGGARD, FREDERICK GEORGE, Gt Yarmouth, Waggonette Driver Oct 1 at 12.30 Off Rec, 8, King st, Norwich	JORDAN, JOHN, Whyteleafe, Surrey, Ironmonger Croydon Pet Sept 9 Ord Sept 14
HARVEY, MARY JANE, Warrminster, Wilts, Restaurant Keeper Sept 25 at 11.45 Off Rec, 28, Baldwin st, Bristol	KEMP, HARRY, Brighton Pet Sept 14 Ord Sept 15
HOLDSWORTH, JOSEPH, Wakefield, Draper Sept 23 at 11 Off Rec, 6, Bond ter, Wakefield	MILLS, THOMAS, Clarborough, Notts, Farmer Lincoln Pet Sept 15 Ord Sept 15
HOPWOOD, JOHN, Eckington, Worcester, Farmer Sept 23 at 11.30 45, Copenhagen st, Worcester	MOFFATT, ROBERT WILLIAM MALHERBE, Liverpool, Merchant Liverpool Pet July 20 Ord Sept 16
HUNT, THOMAS, Stockport, Tailor Sept 20 at 11.30 Off Rec, County chmbrs, Market pl, Stockport	NERDHAM, CHARLES, Birmingham, Commission Agent Birmingham Pet Aug 27 Ord Sept 15
JONES, CHARLES, Birkenhead, Engineer Sept 26 at 2.30 Off Rec, 35, Victoria st, Liverpool	OLIVER, SAMUEL S., Kingston upon Hull, Builder Kingston upon Hull Pet Aug 20 Ord Sept 15
JORDAN, JOHN, Whyteleafe, Surrey, Ironmonger Sept 30 at 11.30 24, Railway app, London Bridge	PETERHAM, THOMAS, East Huntspill, Somerset, Butcher Bridgewater Pet Sept 17 Ord Sept 17
KEMP, HARRY, Brighton Sept 28 at 11 Off Rec, 4, Pavilion bridge, Brighton	RATHMELL, JOHN, Hillam, nr South Milford, Pea Grower Wakefield Pet Sept 15 Ord Sept 15
MACINTOSH, ANNIE, Newport, Mon Sept 28 at 2.30 Off Rec, Westgate chmbrs, Newport, Mon	SAFFREY, WILLIAM HENRY, Regent st, Money Lender High Court Pet July 29 Ord Sept 15
MILLS, THOMAS, Clborough, Notts, Innkeeper Sept 29 at 12 Off Rec, 31, Silver st, Lincoln	SHARING, WILLIAM, Norwich, Fish Dealer Norwich Pet Sept 17 Ord Sept 17
MURRAY, ROBERT BRUCE, Heaton Chapel, Lancs, Clerk Sept 29 at 11 Off Rec, County chmbrs, Market pl, Stockport	SIMPSON, WILLIAM WOOLMOUGH, Coleman st High Court Pet Aug 17 Ord Sept 15
OLIVER, SAMUEL S., Kingston upon Hull, Builder Sept 28 at 11 Off Rec, Trinity House, Hull	SOPES, RICHARD FOSTER, Curdridge, Hants Portsmouth Pet Aug 15 Ord Sept 14
PINE, FRANKLIN WILBERFORCE, Winchmore Hill, Market Gardener Sept 29 at 12 Off Rec, 14, Bedford row	STOKES, FREDERICK, Streatham Hill, Company Manager Wandsworth Pet July 15 Ord Sept 10
POPE, GEORGE EDWARD, Cocklade, Wedmore, Somerset, Farmer Sept 29 at 12 Off Rec, 26, Baldwin st, Bristol	SYDDALL, JOHN, Pendlebury, nr Manchester, Collier Salford Pet Sept 15 Ord Sept 15
PRESTON, ALICE MAUD, Folkestone Oct 6 at 12 Off Rec, 68, Castle st, Canterbury	THOMAS, BENJAMIN, Pembroke, Greengrocer Pembroke Dock Pet Sept 16 Ord Sept 16
PRESTON, LILLIAN ALEXANDRA, Folkestone Oct 6 at 12 Off Rec, 68, Castle st, Canterbury	THOMAS, JANE EMMA, Kentish Town, Pianoforte Manufacturer High Court Pet Sept 17 Ord Sept 17
RATCLIFFE, JOHN THOMAS, Hazel Grove, Cheshire, Yeast Merchant Sept 29 at 12 Off Rec, County chmbrs, Market pl, Stockport	TORRINGTON, EDWIN WILLIAM JAMES, Thornaby on Tees, Stockton on Tees Pet Sept 15 Ord Sept 15
ROBERTSON, HENRY CHARLES, Birmingham, Furniture Frame Maker Sept 30 at 11 174, Corporation st, Birmingham	TRUMP, DANIEL DREWES, Maiden Newton, Dorchester, Dorset, Draper, Dorchester Pet Sept 15 Ord Sept 15
SMITH, ALBERT, Colehill, Warwick, Greengrocer Sept 29 at 11 174, Corporation st, Birmingham	VAN PRAAGH, AARON, Commercial rd, Money Lender High Court Pet Aug 12 Ord Sept 15
STEVENS' METAL CO., Birmingham, Metal Merchants Sept 28 at 12 174, Corporation st, Birmingham	VAUGHAN, FRANCIS SAMUEL, Liscard, Photo Engraver Birkenhead Pet Aug 24 Ord Sept 15
STEDDALL, JOHN, Pendlebury, nr Manchester, Collier Sept 28 at 3.30 Off Rec, Byrom st, Manchester	WAGSTAFF, PHILIP, Lawford, nr Manningtree, Essex, Coal Dealer Colchester Pet Sept 16 Ord Sept 16
THOMAS, BENJAMIN, Pembroke, Greengrocer Sept 30 at 12.30 Temperance Hall, Pembroke Dock	WARNET, THOMAS, Lindfield, Sussex, Wheelwright Brighton Pet Sept 15 Ord Sept 15
VINCENT, JAMES, Bournemouth, Ladies Tailor Sept 28 at 2 Off Rec, City chmbrs, Endless st, Salisbury	WATSON, MARY ROBINSON, New Southgate, Baker Edmonton Pet Aug 5 Ord Sept 15
WATKINS, THOMAS, Loddifield, Sussex, Wheelwright Sept 29 at 11.30 Off Rec, 4 Pavilion bldgs, Brighton	WHITELOCK, HENRY WINSTANLEY, Manor Park, Essex High Court Pet Aug 17 Ord Sept 16
WATSON, MARY ROBINSON, New Southgate, Baker Sept 28 at 3 Off Rec, 14, Bedford row	ADJUDICATION ANNULLED.
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